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THis Day being the Feſtival of St. *George*, the Solemnity of the Coronation of Her Sacred Majeſty Queen *ANNE* was performed at *Weſtminſter* in the manner following:

Her Majeſty being come to *Weſtminſter-Hall* about Eleven of the Clock, and having retired into the Court of *Wards*, the Nobility, and thoſe who formed the Firſt Part of the Proceeding, being put in Order by the Heralds, came down in Solemn Proceſſion into *Weſtminſter-Hall*, where Her Majeſty being Seated under Her State, the Swords and Spurs were preſented to Her, and laid upon the Table at the upper end of the Hall.

Then the Dean and Prebnedaries of *Weſtminſter* having brought the Crown and other *Regalia*, with the Bible, Chalice and Paten, they were preſented ſeverally to Her Majeſty, and ſhortly after were, together with the Swords and Spurs, delivered to the Lords appointed to carry them.

Whereupon the Proceſſion began in this Manner: Drums and Trumpets; Six Clerks in *Chancery*, Two a-breaſt; (as all the former part of the Proceeding went) Chaplains having Dignities; Aldermen of *London*; Maſters in *Chancery*; The Sollicitor, and Attorney General; The Queen's ancient Serjeants; Gentlemen of the Privy Chamber; Judges; Children of *Weſtminſter*, and of the Queen's Chapel; Choir of *Weſtminſter*, and Gentlemen of the Chapel; Prebendaries of *Weſtminſter*; Maſter of the Jewel-Houſe; and Privy Councellors not Peers; all in their proper Habits as uſually at Coronations.

Then Two Purſuivants of Arms; Baroneſſes and Barons in Crimſon Velvet Robes, with their Coronets in their Hands, (Two a breaſt, as all the Peers went) Biſhops; Two Purſuivants of Arms; Viſcounteſſes and Viſcounts; Two Heralds of Arms; Counteſſes and Earls; Two Heralds of Arms; Marchioneſſes; Heralds of Arms; Dutcheſſes; Dukes; Two Kings of Arms with their Coronets; The Lord Privy Seal; Archbiſhop of *York*; Lord Keeper; Archbiſhop of *Canterbury*; Two Perſons Repreſenting the Dukes of *Aquitain* and *Normandy*; and his Royal Highneſs Prince *George*, his Train born.

Next, the Lords who bore the *Regalia*, *viz.* the Earl of *Dorſet* St. *Edward*'s Staff, The Lord Viſcount *Longueville* the Spurs; The Earl of *Huntingdon* the Scepter with the Croſs; The Earls of *Pembroke*, *Derby*, and *Kent*, the Three Swords. Then the Deputy *Garter*, King of Arms, with his Coronet, between the Uſher of the Black Rod and the Lord Mayor of *London*; The Lord Great Chamberlain ſingle; (preceeded by the Vice-Chamberlain) The Earl of *Oxford* with the Sword of State, between the Duke of *Bedford*, Lord High Conſtable for that Day, and the Earl of *Carliſle* Earl Marſhal; The Duke of *Devonſhire* Lord High Steward on that Occaſion, with the Crown, between the Duke of *Richmond* bearing the Scepter with the Dove, and the Duke of *Somerſet*, Lord Preſident, with the Orb; The Biſhop of *Worceſter* with the Bible, between the Biſhop of *Sarum* with the Paten, and the Biſhop of *Rocheſter*, Dean of *Weſtminſter*, with the Chalice.

Then the Queen in Her Royal Robes of Crimſon Velvet, wearing the Collar of the Order of the Garter, as all the Knights of the Order did, and on Her Head a Rich Circlet of Gold and Diamonds, ſupported by the Biſhops of *Durham* and *Exeter*, under a Canopy born by Twelve Barons of the Cinque-Ports, Her Train born by the Dutcheſs of *Somerſet*, aſſiſted by the Lady *Elizabeth Seymour*, the Lady *Mary Pierpoint*, the Lady *Mary Hide*, and Mrs. *Bridget Osborne*, and by the Earl of *Jerſey* Lord Chamberlain; The Serjeants at Arms and Gentlemen Penſioners going on each ſide of the *Regalia* and Canopy.

Next followed the Captain of Her Majeſty's Guard, between the Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard, and the Captain of the Band of Penſioners, with the Firſt Lady of the Bedchamber, and Two of Her Majeſty's Women.

Thus the whole Proceeding marched on Foot upon Blue Cloth to *Weſtminſter* Abbey; (only the Queen had the Conveniency to be carried in a low open Chair all the way) and the Houſes on each ſide being crouded with vaſt Numbers of Spectators, expreſſing their great Joy and Satisfaction by loud and repeated Acclamations.

Being entred the Church, and all duly ſeated and placed, the Archbiſhop of *Canterbury*, who performed this great Solemnity, began with the Recognition, which ended with a mighty Shout from each ſide of the Theatre. Then Her Majeſty made Her Firſt Oblation, and the Lords who bore the *Regalia* preſented them at the Altar. The *Litany* was Sung on the Eaſt-ſide of the Theatre by the Biſhops of *Lichfield* and *Lincoln*; and after the *Epiſtle*, *Goſpel*, and the *Nicene Creed*, the Archbiſhop of *York* Preached on this Text, *Iſa.* 49. *v.* 23. *Kings ſhall be thy Nurſing Fathers, and Queens thy Nurſing Mothers.*

After Sermon, Her Majeſty repeated and ſigned the Declaration, or Teſt eſtabliſhed by Act of Parliament, and then took the Coronation Oath; and in King *Edward*'s Chair, placed in the middle of the *Area* before the Altar, was Anointed, and Preſented with the Spurs, and Girt with the Sword, and Veſted with Her Purple Robes; and having received the Ring, the Orb, and Scepters, was Solemnly Crowned about Four of the Clock with loud Acclamations, the Drums beating, Trumpets ſounding, and the Great Guns being diſcharged: Whereupon the Peers and Peereſſes, *&c.* put on their Coronets, and the Biſhops their Caps.

Then the Holy Bible was preſented to Her Majeſty, and She vouchſafed to kiſs the Biſhops; and being Inthroned, firſt His Royal Highneſs Prince *George*, then the Archbiſhops and Biſhops, and laſtly the Temporal Lords, did their Homage, and ſeemingly kiſſed Her Majeſty's Left Cheek, and afterwards touched the Crown, while the Treaſurer of the Houſhold threw about the Coronation Medals.

Then Her Majeſty made Her Second Oblation, and received the Holy Communion, and after the Final Prayers retired into King *Edward*'s Chapel, and being Veſted in Her Robes of Purple Velvet, and the whole Proceeding being again put in Order, Her Majeſty returned to *Weſtminſter-Hall*, wearing Her Crown of State, and the Peers and Peereſſes, and Kings of Arms, their Coronets.

The Queen dined at a Table at the upper end of the Hall, with his Royal Highneſs Prince *George* on Her Left Hand, and the Nobility and other Perſons of Quality were ſeated at their reſpective Tables, which were all ready Furniſhed before their coming in; The Hot Meat, or Firſt Courſe for Her Majeſty's Table, for which ſpace was left, was ſerved up with the proper Ceremony, being preceded by the Officers, *&c.* of the Board of *Greencloth*, and by the Lord High Steward, between the Lord High Conſtable and Earl Marſhal on Horſeback.

And juſt before the Second Courſe, *Charles Dymoke* Eſq; Her Majeſty's Champion, in compleat Armour, between the Lord High Conſtable and Earl Marſhal before-mentioned, performed the Challenge; After which the Kings of Arms and Heralds Proclaimed Her Majeſty's Style in *Latin*, *French*, and *Engliſh*; The Parliament Sitting, the Houſe of Commons were ſeated in the Gallery on the Eaſt-ſide of *Weſtminſter-Hall*, and in the North Croſs of the Abbey, and were Entertained at Dinner in the Exchequer Chamber.

Dinner being ended, and all Things performed with great Splendor and Magnificence, about half an Hour paſt Eight in the Evening Her Majeſty returned to St. *James's*; The Day concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, Ringing of Bells, and other Demonſtrations of a General Satisfaction and Joy.

St. James's, April 25. The following Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Burlington*, Lord Lieutenant and Cuſtos Rotulorum of the Weſt Riding of the County of *York*, and Vice-Admiral of the ſaid County.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, and Grand Jury, at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace held at *Pontefract* for the Weſt Riding of the County of *York*, the 14th day of *April*, 1702.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

THE great Loſs generally ſuſtained by Europe, *and Your Majeſties Kingdoms in particular, by the Death of our late Sovereign King* William *the Third, of Glorious Memory, could not have been repaired but by Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Crown; And though we never wanted Inſtances of Your Majeſties great Zeal and Affection for our eſtabliſhed Religion, Laws and Liberties, yet the renewed Aſſurances Your Majeſty hath been pleaſed to give your Parliament, and your unparallel'd Bounty to all your Subjects, fill our Hearts in a moſt extraordinary manner with Joy and Thankfulneſs.*

And we beg leave to aſſure Your Majeſty, That we will, with our Lives and Fortunes, as becomes true Engliſhmen *and dutiful Subjects, ſupport Your Majeſties Sacred Perſon and Government, againſt all Oppoſers and Pretenders whatſoever.*

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The following Addreſs from the County of *Durham* was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Lord *Crew*, Lord Biſhop of *Durham*.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Grand Jury, Juſtices of the Peace, and Gentlemen, at the General Quarter Seſſions holden for the County Palatine of *Durham*, the 15th day of *April*, 1702.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majeſties moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects do humbly crave Leave to Condole with Your Majeſty for the unſpeakable Loſs of our late Sovereign, of Glorious Memory: A Prince, who by his great Courage and Conduct, did wonderfully deliver us, and, in all probability, would have reduced the Exorbitant Power of France; *but that is now left to be done by Your Majeſty, whoſe happy Acceſſion to the Throne we moſt heartily Congratulate, and, by the Bleſſing of God, you cannot fail of Succeſs in all your Undertakings, ſince Your Majeſty is graciouſly pleaſed to aſſure us, That your Heart is entirely for the Honour of* England, *that You will not only ask the Advice of your Council, and of both Houſes of Parliament, but alſo will employ thoſe who ſhall heartily join with You in ſupporting the Government in Church and State, as by Law eſtabliſhed, and the true Intereſt of your People.*

Theſe, theſe are certain Meaſures to make Your Majeſty a Glorious Princeſs, and your Kingdoms happy, which plainly appears by Your Majeſties ſo freely paſſing the Bill for taking the Publick Accounts, and heartily contributing ſo great a Share of your own Revenue for the Eaſe of your Subjects, during the Preſſure of heavy Taxes. We therefore, as in Duty bound, do aſſure Your Majeſty, That we will, to the utmoſt of our Power, Support and Defend Your Royal Perſon and Government againſt the Pretended Prince of Wales, *and all your Enemies whoſoever; and do heartily pray for Your Majeſties long Life, and proſperous Reign over us.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Southampton* was preſented to Her Majeſty.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Deputy Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and other Gentlemen, at the General Quarter Seſſions for the Peace held at *Winchester* for the County of *Southampton*, this 14th day of *April*, 1702.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majeſties moſt Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, humbly take leave to expreſs our great Concern for the Death of his late Majeſty King William III. *of ever bleſſed Memory, (the great Reſtorer of our Religion and Liberties) and alſo to profeſs our great Satisfaction at your happy Acceſſion to the Throne; And that which has extreamly added to our Joy is your moſt Gracious Declaration to your Privy Council, and your Speeches to your Parliament, which give us an entire Aſſurance of your Goodneſs, and oblige us to pray for your long and proſperous Reign over us; and that we will, to the utmoſt of our Power, ſupport and defend Your Majeſty, your Crown and Dignity, againſt the pretended Prince of* Wales, *and all other your Enemies whatſoever, and upon all Occaſions approve our ſelves your moſt Faithful and Obedient Subjects.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Guildford* was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *Richard Onſlow* Bar. their Steward, *Denzill Onſlow* and *Morgan Randyll* Eſqs; their Repreſentatives in Parliament, and ſeveral other Gentlemen of the ſaid County, introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Northumberland*, their Lord Lieutenant.

To the Queen's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor and approved Men of the Town of *Guildford* in the County of *Surrey*.

CAlling to mind (moſt Gracious Sovereign) the bleſſed Deliverance of this Church and State from a Foreign Yoke by Queen Elizabeth, *(of Glorious Memory) notwithſtanding the utmoſt Efforts to the contrary, by the then formidable Power of* Spain, *abetted by the Papal Authority, we are abundantly comforted in Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Imperial Crowns of your Royal Anceſtors, on the Demiſe of our late Sovereign Lord and King, who was as the Nurſing Father of the Reformed Churches, and as the Guardian Angel of the Liberties and Peace of* Europe.

Your Majeſties moſt Gracious Speech to both Houſes of Parliament, ſpeaks Your Majeſty in the true Intereſt of England, *to have a true Care for your People, Religion, and the preſent Eſtabliſhment both in Church and State. And therefore (moſt Dread Sovereign) we humbly crave leave to aſſure Your Sacred Majeſty, That we will, on all Occaſions, exert our utmoſt Abilities in Defence of your Royal Perſon, Crown and Dignity, againſt all your Enemies, and all Pretenders whatſoever, and to the Reducing the Exorbitant Power of* France, *leſt your Royal Sovereignty, the Reformed Religion, together with the Liberties, Peace and Trade of all your Dominions, ſoon become precarious.*

May the God of Peace and Victory bleſs Your Majeſties juſt and neceſſary Arms with the wiſhed-for Succeſs, and give you the Hearts of your People, that we may be as a City at Unity within it ſelf in this our Common Danger; and God Almighty grant Your Majeſty many and happy Days to Reign over us.

The following Addreſs from the County of *Northumberland* was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *Francis Blaake*, and *William Lorrain* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Scarborough*, Lord Lieutenant of the ſaid County.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Juſtices of the Peace, Deputy Lieutenants, and Grand Jury, of the County of *Northumberland*, at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace held for the ſaid County at *Morpeth*, the 15th day of *April*, in the Firſt Year of Your Majeſties auſpicious Reign.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

AS Humane Nature cannot but be affected with the Loſs of Benefactors, we crave leave to own our great Affliction by the late Stroke of Providence, in depriving us of the beſt of Kings, which we ſincerely Condole: But Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Imperial Crown of this Kingdom, your Gracious Declaration to defend our Church and Liberties, and Reſolutions to purſue the Meaſures of our late Sovereign, for the Good of Europe, *are the greateſt Allevations under ſo mournful an Accident: And therefore we do moſt heartily Congratulate Your Majeſty, and wiſh a Glorious Succeſs in all your good and pious Intentions; aſſuring Your Majeſty, That we are entirely devoted to your Service, againſt the pretended Prince of* Wales, *his great Supporter, the* French *King, and all your other Enemies of what kind ſoever.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Weſtmorland* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Henry Grahame* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, and Sir *Chriſtopher Muſgrave* Bar. introduced by the Rt. Hon. Sir *Edward Seymour* Bar. Comptroller of Her Majeſties Houſhold.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble and unanimous Addreſs of the High Sheriff, the Juſtices of Peace, Grand Juries, and other Gentlemen and Freeholders for the County of Weſtmorland, *at the General Seſſions of the Peace held at* Appleby *for the ſaid County, the 13th day of* April, 1702. *and by Adjournment at* Kirkby-Kendall *the 17th.*

THE due Senſe we have of the great Loſs we have ſuſtained by the Death of his late Majeſty, of Glorious Memory, would be inſupportable, were it not for the Comfort we receive by Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Throne, which we do moſt heartily Congratulate.

The great Concern Your Majeſty has been pleaſed to expreſs for our Religion, Laws and Properties, and the Maintaining the Succeſſion to the Crown in the Proteſtant Line, the Government in Church and State as by Law eſtabliſhed; and Your Majeſties great Care and Concern not only for your own People, but the General Good of all Europe, fully aſſures us of all future Happineſs under Your Majeſties auſpicious Reign.

And we can never ſufficiently expreſs the Tender and Grateful Senſe we have of Your Majeſties Unparallel'd Goodneſs, in your Gracious Offer to bear ſo large a Share in the publick Expences at this Juncture, when we could not reaſonably expect that the Revenues of the Crown would have allowed room for ſuch a Surprizing Expreſſion of your Royal Bounty and Tender Concern for the Welfare of your Subjects.

Therefore we humbly crave leave (moſt Gracious Sovereign) with all Sincerity to aſſure Your Majeſty, That, on all Occaſions, we will, to the utmoſt of our Power, ſhew our Zeal for your Royal Perſon, and readineſs to ſupport Your Majeſty in all your Alliances, and preſerve the Succeſſion in the Proteſtant Line, as by Law eſtabliſhed, againſt the pretended Prince of Wales, and all other Your Majeſties Enemies whatſoever, at home or abroad. And that God will bleſs Your Majeſty with a long and happy Reign over us, ſhall be the conſtant Prayers of Your Majeſties moſt Dutiful and Faithful Subjects.

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Andover* was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *John Cope* Kt. introduced by the Rt. Hon. Sir *Edward Seymour*, Comptroller of Her Majeſties Houſhold.

To the Queen's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Freeholders and Inhabitants of Your Majeſties Ancient Town and Borough of Andover *in the County of* Southampton.

May it pleaſe Your moſt Sacred Majeſty,

WE, with unfeigned Sorrow, Crave Leave in all Humility to condole with Your Majeſty the unſpeakable Loſs, which not only the Subjects of Your Majeſties Realms, but almoſt all Chriſtendom, have ſuſtained, by the Death of our late Sovereign Lord, King William the Third, of glorious memory; And withal to aſſure you, That nothing but your Majeſties Acceſſion to the Throne of Your Anceſtors Dominions (whoſe Heart we are very ſenſible is entirely in the Intereſt of Her People, and the Church as by Law eſtabliſhed) could have moderated our Grief.

Therefore, Dread Sovereign, with all the Joy imaginable, we Congratulate Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion, to your Rightful Crown and Kingdoms; And aſſure you, to our utmoſt Power, we will aſſiſt and ſupport Your Majeſty and your Allies againſt all your Enemies, as well Foreign as Domeſtick.

We beſeech God Almighty to grant Your Majeſty a long and proſperous Reign over us, And that he will be pleaſed to guide and direct your Councils to the Advancement of his Glory, your Honour, and our Safety, for which, as in Duty bound, we ſhall ever Pray, &c.

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Okehampton* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *William Cary* Eſq; their Recorder, and *Thomas Northmore* Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. Sir *Edward Seymour* Bar. Comptroller of Her Majeſties Houſhold.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and Borough of *Okehampton*, in the County of *Devon*.

WE Your Majeſties moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects humbly crave Leave to expreſs our great Sorrow for the Death of our late Sovereign King William III. *over* England, *&c. who (under God) was our Deliverer from Popery and Slavery: And ſince it hath pleaſed Almighty God (by whom Kings and Princes reign) to place Your Majeſty on the Throne of your Royal Anceſtors, and ſince nothing under Heaven can give your People greater Hopes of good Things than a Sovereign that is entirely* Engliſh, *we humbly beg Your Majeſties gracious Acceptance of our ſincere and hearty Thanks for Your Majeſties moſt enguging Declarations to both Houſes of Parliament, to maintain the Government both in Church and State, as by Law eſtabliſhed, during Your Majeſties Reign, which God grant may be long and proſperous, attended with the Bleſſings of Royal Iſſue to ſucceed to theſe your Kingdoms: And as it is the Duty of all Your Majeſties Subjects to Support and Maintain your undoubted Right to the Imperial Crown of theſe Realms, ſo we in particular beg Leave to aſſure Your Majeſty, That we will, to the utmoſt of our Power, defend your Sacred Perſon and Government againſt the Pretended Prince of* Wales, *and all other your Enemies both at home and abroad.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Bewdley* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Salway Winnington* Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. *John How* Eſq;

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Bayliff, Recorder, Juſtices of the Peace, and Burgeſſes, of the Borough of *Bewdly* in the County of *Worceſter*.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſties Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, being deeply ſenſible of the great Loſs this Nation, and all Europe *in general, have ſuſtained by the Death of his late Majeſty King* William III. *of Glorious Memory, do, with all imaginable Joy, Congratulate Your Majeſties moſt happy Acceſſion to the Throne of your Royal Anceſtors, humbly imploring the Bleſ-*

ſing of Almighty God upon Your Majeſties Perſon and Government; and do beg leave upon this Occaſion to aſſure Your Majeſty, That we will, to the utmoſt of our Power, Support and Stand by Your Majeſties Sacred Perſon and Government, againſt the pretended Prince of Wales, *the* French *King, all their ſecret and open Abettors, and all other Your Majeſties Enemies whatſoever. In Teſtimony whereof, we have hereunto affixed the Common Seal of the ſaid Borough, the 21ſt day of* April, *in the Firſt Year of Your Majeſties Reign.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Lancaſter* was preſented to Her Majeſty.

To Her Sacred Majeſty ANNE, *Queen of* Great Britain, France, *and* Ireland, *&c.*

The humble Addreſs of the Gentry and Clergy of the County Palatine of *Lancaſter.*

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WITH glad and joyful Hearts, and thankful Minds, we Your Majeſties Obedient Subjects humbly come to Congratulate Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Throne of theſe Realms, admiring that Providential Hand of Almighty GOD that hath placed the Crown upon Your Majeſties Head, and preſerved your Life: A Princeſs born in Old England, *nurſed up in our Church, and inſpired with a true* Old Engliſh *Heart, to ſtand Defender of the Faith, and even at ſuch a time when not only theſe Nations, but even* Europe *it ſelf, hath lately loſt ſuch a Bulwark. This Loſs is doubly by God's ſignal Favour repair'd to us, and made good in You, (Great Queen) by whoſe prudent Conduct the Enemies of our Peace (we hope) will feel your Sword as ſharp, and your Government ſuch as will give a full finiſhing Stroak to what our late Monarch's Arms have left undone.*

And we for our parts do humbly beg Leave to aſſure Your Majeſty, That we will both with Hands and Hearts, Lives and Eſtates (what in us lies) endeavour to Support Your Majeſties Throne and Government, both againſt the French *King, and the Pretended Prince of* Wales, *and all your Enemies, as well Foreign as Domeſtick: And ſhall conſtantly pray, That Your Majeſties Reign may be Great and Glorious, your Life long, and Days many; and that all your Subjects may (as we do) love and admire You; and that the Crown may be worn, and your Scepter weilded, with as much Glory and Renown as that Great Monarch and Mirror of your Sex, Queen* Elizabeth, *or the moſt Famous of your Princely Progenitors; and that your Arms and Conqueſts may be extended as far as theirs, and that Your Majeſty may always live to be beloved in the Hearts of all your People.*

The following Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Thomas Pelham* Eſq; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Dorſet* and *Middleſex*, Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Suſſex.*

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, and Freeholders, of the County of *Suſſex*, at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace held for the Eaſt Part of the ſaid County at Your Majeſties ancient Borough of *Lewes*, the 16th day of *April*, in the Firſt Year of Your Majeſties Reign; together with the Inhabitants of the ſaid Borough.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majeſties moſt Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, do humbly beg leave, in the unfeigned Sincerity of our Hearts, at once to expreſs a ſenſible and juſt Grief for the Death of your moſt Glorious Predeceſſor, our late Gracious King William III. *and to bleſs that Providence, which, by Your Majeſties immediate Succeſſion to the Crown, has given us a confident Aſſurance of the Continuance of thoſe Bleſſings which (under him) we enjoyed.*

Your Majeſties whole Life hath ſo eminently ſhewn, and your ſeveral Declarations ſo graciouſly confirmed, your great Tenderneſs and Zeal for the true Intereſt of theſe Kingdoms both in Church and State, that we cannot but from hence promiſe to our ſelves and our Poſterity the moſt laſting Effects of a Wiſe and Pious Reign.

And as we on our Parts ſhall be always forward to manifeſt our Thankful Senſe hereof, by our ſteddy Adherence to Your Majeſty, and our reſolute Maintaining of your Right and Title, and the preſent Settlement of the Crown in the Proteſtant Line, againſt the pretended Prince of Wales, *and all other Oppoſers and Invaders of either; ſo do we moſt heartily beſeech Almighty God, That he will ſo protect your Royal Perſon, and proſper your Princely Deſigns, and ſo unite the Hearts of your Subjects in Love and Fidelity towards you, that you may long live the Terror of your Foes, the Support of your Allies, and the Mother of your People.*

The following Addreſs from the Town of *Whitby* was preſented to Her Majeſty.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The Humble Addreſs of the Miniſter and Inhabitants of the Town and Port of Whitby *in the North Riding of the County of* York.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſties moſt dutiful and Loyal Subjects do humbly beg Leave to Congratulate Your Majeſties happy Acceſſion to the Throne, which is the greateſt Alleviation to our Grief for the Loſs of our late gracious Sovereign, King William III.

Your Majeſties Conſtancy in the ſupport of our eſtabliſh'd Religion and Liberties, fills our Hearts with Joy, from the juſt expectations that under your auſpicious Reign we ſhall enjoy all that can make a People happy both in Church and State. And may all your Subjects be as Zealous, as we ſhall upon all Occaſions, to approve our ſelves in the Defence of Your Majeſties Perſon and Government.

May Almighty God long preſerve your Majeſty in Health and Felicity, make your Reign Glorious, and your Days many; and may the great Bleſſings we now enjoy be continued to us and our Poſterity.

The following Addreſs of the Council-General of the *Scots Indian* and *African* Company, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl-Marſhal of *Scotland*, Preſident of their Council, introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Hamilton.*

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The dutiful Addreſs of the Council-General of the *Indian* and *African* Company.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſties moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Council-General of the Company of Scotland *Trading to* Africa *and the* Indies, *being ſenſibly affected with the ſurprizing Death of our late Sovereign, do juſtly Condole the ſame with your Majeſty; yet cannot but at the ſame time have Hearts full of Joy to ſee a Princeſs of ſuch excellent Qualities, as appeared early in Your Majeſty when this Nation was honoured with your Preſence, ſeated on the Throne of your Royal Anceſtors, with the unanimous Suffrage, and univerſal Congratulations of all Your Majeſties good and loving Subjects.*

Madam, As this Nation has a particular Intereſt in Your Majeſty, as being Lineally diſcended from the Numerous and Heroick Race of our Kings, ſo we for our parts do, not only as a Company, but alſo in our reſpective other Capacities, long for an opportunity by which we may give ample Teſtimonies of our Zeal and Affection for Your Majeſties Perſon and Government.

And as we have all manner of reaſon to be aſſured, That Your Majeſty will upon all occaſions ſhew a juſt and natural Regard to the Honour and Intereſt of this Your Majeſties ancient Kingdom, ſo the moſt conſiderable of the Nobility, Gentry, and whole Body of the Royal Boroughs, being jointly concerned in the Intereſt of our Company, gives us juſt ground to hope, That, as the Nation in general, ſo our Company in particular, ſhall partake of Your Majeſties Countenance and Favour, in the Protection of our Rights and Privileges, as by Law eſtabliſhed.

And we aſſure Your Majeſty of our firm Reſolution to exert our utmoſt Endeavours in Maintaining Your Majeſties Right and Title to the Sovereignty of this Kingdom, againſt all your Enemies and Oppoſers whatſoever; Concluding with our hearty Prayers for Your Majeſties long, proſperous, and peaceful Reign over us.

Signed at Edenburgh *the 31ſt Day of* March, 1702. *in Name, Preſence, and by Warrant of the ſaid Council-General, by, may it pleaſe Your Majeſty, Your Majeſties moſt faithful, moſt dutiful, moſt humble, and moſt obedient Subject and Servant.*

An humble Addreſs of the Reformed *High German* and *Pruſſian* Congregation in the *Savoy*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by Mr. *Ceſar*, their Miniſter, and the chief Members of the ſaid Congregation, being introduced by the Rt. Rev. the Lord Biſhop of *Worceſter.*

An humble and Loyal Addreſs from the Iſland of *Guernſey*, being ſent up by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Viſcount *Hatton*, their Governor, was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *Edmond Andros*, Bayliff of the ſaid Iſland, introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Manchester*, Her Majeſties Principal Secretary of State.

All which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very graciouſly.

The Addreſs from the Borough of *Eaſtloe*, in the County of *Cornwall*, inſerted in the laſt Gazette, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Rev. the Lord Biſhop of *Exeter*, and by Sir *Henry Seymour*, and *George Courtenay* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament.

Venice, April 15. *N. S.* Letters from Prince Eugene's head Quarters at Luzzara give an Account, That the Germans have ſtrongly fortified their Poſts along the Oglio, and particularly Uſtiano, over-againſt which Place they have caſt up ſome Intrenchments to ſecure their Paſſage over the River; A ſtrong Body of their Forces have intrenched themſelves along the River Lenza, to cover Berſello and the Modeneſe, and they have built ſeveral Fortifications at Borgoforte, where they have 20 Pieces of Cannon mounted; and 'tis ſaid, Prince Eugene intends to continue in theſe Poſts till the coming up of the Succours from Germany; from whence the Germans have received a Supply of 1000 Horſes for the uſe of their Cavalry. A great part of the French Army is encamped in the Country of Piacenza, along the River Po. Monſieur Ruel, with a Body of their Forces, has poſſeſſed himſelf of Monticelli; Monſieur Barbeſieux, with another ſmall Detachment, had paſſed over the Po into the Cremoneſe, and was marching towards Caneto; And Monſieur Praemtral, with the Body of Forces under his Command, continues at Caneto, to maintain that Poſt, where they have a great Magazine of Proviſions and Ammunition. Several French Frigats cruize in the Adriatick Gulph.

Vienna, April 19. The King of the Romans is very well recovered of his late Illneſs, and will go from hence in the beginning of the next Month, in order to take upon him the Command of the Imperial Forces on the Rhine. Count Merci, who was wounded in the Action at Cremona, is come hither, and 'tis ſaid, he is to have a Commiſſion to raiſe a Regiment of Horſe. The Forces on both ſides continued in their Quarters, and were like to do ſo, till they could find Forage in the Field. Letters from Trieſte give an Account, That ſeveral French Frigats are cruizing in the Adriatick Gulph, to hinder the ſending over of Proviſions from thence to the Imperial Army in Italy; and that one of theſe Frigats having landed an Officer and ſome Soldiers near Segna to plunder the Country, the Inhabitants got together, killed the Officer and ſeveral of his Men, and took the reſt Priſoners.

Francfort, April 26. The Imperial Regiments of Horſe which were drawn together near Philipsburgh, with the Forces of the Biſhop of Wurtzburgh, and the Palatine Forces which lay along the Necker, have paſſed the Rhine at Spires, and are marched towards Germerſheim, and the Elector Palatine's Forces, with the other Troops which lay near Spires and Newſtadt, are alſo moving the ſame way. And we have received an Account, That all theſe Forces, which make together about 25000 Men, are encamped near Croonweiſſenburgh, under the Command of Major-General Thungen, who has his head Quarters at Langenkandel. Some Imperial Foot are marched to the Town of Billingheim, to fortify the ſame, in order to the better cutting off the Communication between Landau and the Upper Alſace; and a Body of Imperial Forces are poſted about Landau, to hinder the French from ſending